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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.

Call for Republican Territorial Central Committee.

REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
of New Mexico, Santa Fe, Aug. 25, 1898.
The Republican Central Committee is hereby called to meet at the office of the chairman in Santa Fe, N. M., at 10 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, the 8th day of September, 1898, for the purpose of fixing the time and place of holding the territorial convention to nominate a candidate for delegate in congress; fixing the number of delegates thereto; and their apportionment among the several counties; and such other business as may come before the committee.

EDWARD L. BARTLETT, Chairman.
MAX. FROST, Secretary.

And now Zola will have his say in France anent the Dreyfus affair and it will be a ringing sort of say so.

The God of Israel seems to have taken Captain Dreyfus under his wing and the captain's enemies are being confounded.

The work of the bureau of immigration is proving of benefit to the territory. Credit where it is due is good policy and one always adhered to by this paper.

Captain Maximiliano Luna's name is mentioned for the Republican nomination as a candidate for delegate to congress. Excellent suggestion, but this paper is for the nominee of the convention.

A French playwright is already writing a play founded upon the incidents of the Dreyfus affair. Entertaining fellow that, who will reap a great harvest, whether the play be of any account or not.

The New Mexican is making the fight for the Republicans of San Miguel county in particular and the taxpayers of that county in general, and turn about is fair play; hence the Republicans of that county should support the New Mexican and they will find such a course of benefit all around, to themselves and to the people of the county and territory.

This is the greatest country on earth for fruit. New Mexico is the best fruit raising section in this great country and the Santa Fe and the Rio Grande valleys can not be beaten in the excellence of the apples, pears, peaches, plums, apricots, prunes, cherries raised. Here you have the proof of this assertion, right here and today at the second annual horticultural fair in this capital of New Mexico.

The New Mexican is receiving many favorable advices from all parts of the territory as to the chances for Republican success this fall. Of course in some of the counties the Republicans will be beaten and in some they will meet with indifferent success, but they will carry a majority of them by greatly increased majorities and will elect a majority of the members of the assembly and from all accounts will beat the Democratic nominee for delegate to congress. It is becoming quite apparent, unless all signs fail, that Delegate Ferguson's name will have to be changed from Harvey to Dennis.

In addition to good military tactics and the bravery of the British and Egyptian invading force the recent victories over the Dervishes on the upper Nile are to be ascribed to the railroad and the telegraph. As the troops marched into the enemy's country and into the desert they were preceded or kept pace with by the railway and the telegraph. These latter agencies settle the question of how to deal with savage tribes very quickly and effectively. This is proved by the outcome of recent wars with semi-civilized or savage nations.

The Republican territorial central committee meets in this city tomorrow. The time and place for the holding of the convention to nominate a Republican candidate for delegate are to be fixed by the committee and other important matters discussed. The New Mexican is of the opinion that a city in the central part of the territory should be selected and the date of the convention fixed between the 5th and 10th of October. This paper has received many letters from prominent Republicans, suggesting such a course and believes same to be for the best interests of the party in this territory.

A Right Good Platform.

The following would be a pretty good platform for the Republicans of New Mexico: For protection, for sound money, retention of all captured territory, an adequate army and navy, fortifying sea coasts, approving the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands, construction of the Nicaragua canal, indorsing

the national and territorial Republican administrations, statehood for New Mexico, home rule, appointments to all offices, clerkships and minor offices from bona fide residents of the territory and the recognition of the fact that New Mexico furnished three times its quota of volunteers during the recent war with Spain. These points cover the New Mexican's views of the situation and are favored by nineteen-twentieths of the Republicans of New Mexico. Let the coming territorial convention not be mealy-mouthed, but let it proclaim its principles in clear and plain notes loud enough to be heard and understood by every voter in the territory and then make a good and strong fight for victory and the latter will crown its efforts.

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Some rather amusing things are developing in the Philippine island question, and they all come from Germany. It will be remembered that before the surrender of Manila to the United States the Germans, under Admiral Deidrichs, made themselves quite evident in and around the bay at Manila, and only the hard, good sense of Admiral Dewey prevented serious trouble with the warships representing the interests of the 14 German subjects on the islands. In fact the actions of the Germans were plainly intended to stir up strife, if it could be done without too seriously infringing on the laws of neutrality, and the Americans do not feel any too kindly disposed toward the Kaiser for that interference.

At this time the intimation comes from Germany that the cession of a coaling station in the Philippines would be of great advantage to that country and would be greatly appreciated by William. The authority who throws out that gentle hint also gravely announces that the United States has failed to consult the wishes of Germany, France and Russia concerning the disposition of the islands although those countries had expected it would be done.

In regard to the coaling station so much wanted by Germany, perhaps, had Admiral Deidrichs conducted himself properly, the United States could have spared a harbor on some one of the 1,600 islands for that purpose, but the admiral did not behave very well and now the coaling stations will be reserved for the use of this country. The idea that any foreign country would be consulted as to the disposition of the islands, when those countries had no rights or interests to be regarded, appears ridiculous to the people of the United States.

It is hardly possible that the administration will disregard the expressed wishes of the great majority of the people that the Philippines shall be retained. When the protocol, leaving the disposition of the Philippines to be determined by the peace commissioners was signed, it was clearly the intention of the president and his advisors to learn the desires of the people regarding the islands before finally determining the question. Since that time the country has been heard from, and the overwhelming sentiment in favor of the retention of the islands will not go unheeded. Admiral Dewey raised the stars and stripes over the islands and the present administration will not be guilty of hauling the flag down and turning the archipelago over to Spain again to wreak her vengeance on the inhabitants, or leaving them without protection to become the prey of jealous and rapacious European powers.

In deciding what is to be the future of the Philippines the wishes of no country but that of the United States will be consulted, and France, Germany and Russia will save trouble by accepting the inevitable.

The Other "Heroes."

In the welcoming of the troops home from Cuban and Puerto Rican soils, in the hero worship lavished upon the "Rough Riders" and the other regiments which took part in the capture of Santiago de Cuba, the people of this country are overlooking the women "heroes" who have done wonders in saving the lives of the soldiers of the United States. On battle fields and in camps they have been present laboring day and night to alleviate suffering, coax back strength, and ease the last hours of the brave men who are sacrificing even life itself for the old flag.

The two organizations that have been foremost in this work are the Red Cross and the Catholic nuns, and in addition to these organizations a large number of other noble women have left home and comforts to aid in caring for the men who answered to the country's call for defenders. Perhaps the feeling of the men in the ranks toward these women can best be shown by the words of a negro soldier, a member of the 25th infantry who had been cared for by two quiet nuns while ill. He said: "Boys, I am not a Catholic, but on every pay day, so long as I remain in the United States army, and I hope to die in it, I shall give a dollar to the first nun I see."

One notable instance of woman's devotion to her country and the love of doing good because it is good, is that of the daughter of General Joe Wheeler, who followed the army to Cuba and returned with it, who has never faltered in the duties required of a nurse in the hospitals of the army, and who today is worshipped by the men of her father's command. Miss Wheeler's name will be revered in the homes of the north and the south by the mothers of the boys who were coaxed from death by her care and loving kindness, and so long as the war with Spain is remembered her name will be uttered with reverence by the American people. Miss Wheeler is only one out of many of the best women of the land who have braved the dangers and horrors of war to save the lives of those who were permitted to wear the uniforms of a free country in gaining

freedom for the oppressed, and in the rewards that are given for meritorious service the "heroes" of the gentler sex should not be forgotten. The men who were ministered unto will never forget them and the nation should not.

TERRITORIAL CROPS.

Fruits of All Kinds in Abundance—Heavy Grain Crops—Bright Outlook for Farmers in General.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.
Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, New Mexico Section.
(Santa Fe, N. M., September 6, 1898.)

The weather for the week ending with September 5 was unusually warm and bright, and with few showers. It seems that the rainy season is nearing the end, and nothing but light showers expected from now on. There is some complaint of drought from many localities, where no rains of consequence have fallen for from two to three weeks. In the upper Pecos rains are needed badly for the later crops, and throughout northern and eastern districts stock ranges need some good rains to make winter feed. Ranges are still in good condition, however, and almost without exception there is an abundance of water for irrigation purposes. Although the days continue unusually warm, nights are beginning to get cool at the higher altitudes.

The weather has been very favorable for finishing up the grain harvests. Reports generally indicate that the yields are turning out unusually satisfactorily. In some southern localities the third crop of alfalfa has been secured in good condition, but as a rule this cutting has not begun as yet. The yield continues promising. Gardens are fulfilling all expectations, and vegetables of all kinds are abundant. Melons continue in abundance, and are of a superior quality. Fine grapes are being picked; the vineyards are not bearing so well as in some former years but the fruit is of exceptional quality. The finest of peaches, pears, nectarines, etc., are almost a glut on local markets. The sugar beet crop is maturing nicely and the planters of the southern counties look forward to a very successful season. In some scattered localities some of the gardens are being damaged by grasshoppers and other different insects, but no general injury is apparent.

The following remarks are extracted from the reports of correspondents:
Artesian—C. E. M. says the week has been very favorable to the growth of crops in general; the temperature has been moderate and the precipitation light. The third crop of alfalfa is now beginning to bloom, and some farmers have begun cutting. Vegetables of all kinds are in good condition, and all with watermelons and muskmelons. Apples, peaches, pears, plums, grapes, etc., are plentiful. Threshing is the principal occupation of farmers, and yields of grain are fair. Stock is in good condition, and there is plenty of water for irrigation. Highest temperature, 93, on the 25th; lowest, 57, on the 25th. Total rainfall, 0.14.

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Five days now constitute a week's work at the San Marcial railroad shops. There is much complaint over the increase in mountain lions, and consequent decrease in crops.

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professor sprained his foot while escaping from a runaway team.

Mounted Customs Inspectors Wm. Hudson and Louis Holtzman, of Deming, have been discharged because of a cutting down of the force by Collector Dillon. This leaves only two riders to guard the frontier.

According to all reports, the Hualter-J. W. Young concession for a railroad south from Deming to Guerrero, Mexico, has been cancelled; in fact it has passed into the hands of the Corralitos road, leaving Deming out in the cold.

A team was struck by a Santa Fe train near the Silver City Reduction Works the other day, and smashed, the driver named Austin and the horses barely escaped with their lives. However, this report should be taken with much salt.

Sierra County.
Professor August Mayer, of Hillsboro, will teach the Kingston school for the ensuing term.

Harry Kendall, of the "Rough Riders" from Hillsboro, will spend the winter in New York City.

Oliver Lee and James Gilliland are reported west of Engle in the Black Range, well armed and mounted.

A Lake valley sheep herder has killed himself by eating green peas. He was rolled in a sheet and buried where he died.

Chaves County.
One hundred more men are needed on the Roswell railroad extension.

The Pecos Valley railroad telegraph line has been extended to Canon City.

Private Marion Camp, Troop G, "Rough Riders," has returned to Roswell with fever.

The Pecos Valley railroad extension promises to be finished through to Amarillo by December 15.

Bernalillo County.
Bland is to have a \$250 town jail.

Joseph Bibb, of Bernalillo, says the local alfalfa yield will considerably exceed that of last season.

Dona Ana County.
Fine white marble deposits have been uncovered in La Luz canon.

Alamogordo brick is driving the inferior El Paso brick out of the market.

Alamogordo people are making preparations for an unusually creditable showing at the Territorial fair.

Ten men were arrested recently with 15 head of alleged smuggled horses and taken to El Paso by the United States customs officers.

The fall term of the District court has opened at Las Cruces. Among the important cases to come up will be that of the Stein's Pass robbers.

The Sacramento Chief claims that a local stockman closed a newly discovered artesian well but its publication should bring in settlers and circumscribe his range.

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Southern Grant county cattleman meet at Deming on the 15th inst. to arrange for the fall round up.

Indians in the Animas country are reported as on the war path for the first time in years, and as having gone to pillaging.

"Rough Rider" R. C. Houston has returned to Silver City from Montauk Point a living skeleton, although he did not get farther than Tampa.

Professor W. W. Robertson, and family, have removed from Las Cruces and will reside at Deming. In moving, the

GUSSIE'S WOOING.

Or the Ardent Youth, the Haughty Maiden and the Deceased Trade.

Augustus de Stayer pulled out his watch and looked nervously at it. Would he propose now, at a quarter to 12, or wait till half past 12 was the great question that was agitating the place where his mind ought to be.

"Must you go?" inquired the proud beauty thoughtfully, half rising.

"Oh, no," stammered Augustus, "that is, I don't know. It—er—it depends, you know." This with a tender glance at the afore mentioned proud beauty, who was rapidly assuming an expression of countenance by no means tending to enhance her loveliness.

"I can get you the exact time if you desire," she rejoined calmly.

"It is not time I want," murmured the impassioned lover, with a terrific accent on the word "time."

"No," remarked his companion, temporarily disappearing behind a delicate yawn, "I notice that that is a commodity you seem to place very little value upon."

"When I am with you, I forget all else."

"The cool night air will soon recall the number of your boarding house to you."

"No, no; you misunderstand me. Little do you dream?"

"I have so little time to," interrupted she apologetically.

"You talk of time," cried Augustus, "it is better than to talk against it," observed the lady.

"Time!" ejaculated Augustus, with sudden scorn.

"High time," agreed she, with touching sympathy.

"Henrietta, Henrietta," suddenly exclaimed Augustus de Stayer, falling ecstatically on his knees before the cruel custodian of his heart, "why—why—why are the hours when I am with you like the second hand of a watch?"

"I don't know, I'm sure," responded Henrietta coldly, "but I know why you are like a clock with a broken main spring."

Then did Augustus de Stayer gather himself up and take his departure, forgetting his silver headed umbrella, and abandon forever all hope of the proud and haughty beauty that had thus scorned his tender love.

Not much. He told her how an old uncle had just died unexpectedly in India and left him \$10,000 a year, to say nothing of all sorts of sage advice and a most excellent recipe for making curry.

And so they were married and lived happily ever afterward—at least she did—New York World.

Many Bars Rest.
Daughter—Paw, this piano is horribly out of tune.

Nervous Parent—Yes, my dear, it is. I guess you'd better not play on it any more until it has been tuned.

"Well, I won't. When will you have it fixed?"

"Oh, in a year or so."—New York Weekly.

A Hardship.
"Have you anything to say," asked the judge, "why sentence should not be passed upon you?"

"Not much," answered the prisoner, "but I trust you will not send me to prison, I am naturally of a roving disposition, and it troubles me to have to stay in one place so long."—Vim.

Palpable Hit.
Stern Father—Young man, I saw you kissing my daughter as I passed the parlor door, and I want you to know that I don't like it. What have you got to say for yourself?

Young Man—Well, all I've got to say is that you don't know a good thing when you see it.—Chicago News.

Revenge.
First Recruit—Why are you so anxious to go to Havana instead of Santiago or Porto Rico?

Second Recruit—I want to get square with those fellows for all the beat 5 cent Havana cigars I have tried to smoke.—New York World.

In Readiness.
Spencer—Foreign residents in Havana are complaining that they cannot get clean sheets.

Ferguson—I wonder why that is.

Spencer—They are keeping them for flags of truce.—New York Journal.

The Pleasures of War.
Price—I tell you to be a soldier is a great opportunity.

Brndley—Yes; I was thinking as much when I saw the way the pretty girls were embracing them.—Town Topics.

Overheard on Cuban Soil.
Sergeant—For heaven's sake, corporal, what has become of our regiment?

Corporal—If you please, sir, they're looking around to find the vines on which Havana cigars grow.—Vim.

Why He Missed.
"They would have taken me into the army if it had been for my heart."

"What was the matter with it?"

"I think it was in my mouth."—Clatsop Enquirer.

Without Getting the 50 Cents.
Every man has probably spent \$1 trying to collect 50 cents.—Atholion Globe.

A Manager Diet.

"What makes you think the Spaniards will eat their words?"

"They will not have anything else to eat, will they?"—Vim.

Left Behind.
Although we couldn't join the clan, we'll cheer and keep our senses while each pays taxes like a man and helps to meet expenses.—Washington Star.

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Santa Fe Commandery No. 1, K. T. Regular convocation fourth Monday in each month at Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m. MAX. FROST, E. C. ADDISON WALKER, Recorder.
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